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SEASONS CHANGED
ON GAME BIRDS

Under recent changes in the migratory-bird treaty-act regulations and State laws, the open seasons in Idaho and Oregon on waterfowl (except wood duck and swans), coot, gallinules, and Wilson snipe or jacksnipe, black-bellied and golden plovers, and greater and lesser yellowlegs now extend from October 1 to January 15, inclusive, according to an announcement of the Biological Survey, United States Department of Agriculture, to sportsmen of these two States.

Such birds legally killed may be possessed only during the open season and the first ten days of the close season, but provisions of State laws in regard to tagging, furnishing affidavits, and procuring storage permits must be observed.

There is no season for wood duck and swans, and these birds may not be hunted or killed at any time

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